



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Hilton Head Island High School  
Beaufort County  
Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 1,192  
Principal: E. Amanda O'Nan  
Superintendent: Dr. Jackie Rosswurm  
Board Chair: Bill Evans

## PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2013	Excellent	Excellent	TBD	TBD	B	N/A
2012	Excellent	Excellent	Gold	N/A	C	N/A
2011	Excellent	Excellent	Gold	Silver	Not Met	N/A

## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
9	0	0	0	0

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2013. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

## HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2012	2013	2012	2013
Passed 2 subtests (%)	82.1%	85.3%	87.9%	90.4%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	9.6%	9.9%	7.7%	7.0%
Passed no subtests (%)	8.3%	4.8%	4.4%	3.5%

## HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2013

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	95.8%	95.6%

## ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	309	335
Number of Diplomas	258	287
Rate (%)	83.5%	86.2%

## END OF COURSE TESTS - 2013

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	69.5	86.3
English 1	85.8	83.9
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	80.4	87.6
US History and the Constitution	70.0	75.2
All Tests	77.2	83.2

## NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

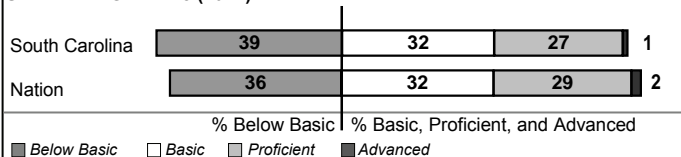
### READING - GRADE 8 (2011)



### MATH - GRADE 8 (2011)



### SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2011)



## SC PERFORMANCE VISION

*By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.*

### Abbreviations Key

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# Hilton Head Island High School [Beaufort County]

## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
<b>Students (n=1,192)</b>				
Retention rate	6.2%	Down from 7.9%	1.5%	2.9%
Attendance rate	96.0%	Down from 96.8%	95.2%	95.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	40.7%	N/A	33.8%	17.5%
With disabilities	8.8%	N/A	8.8%	11.9%
Older than usual for grade	8.9%	N/A	4.3%	7.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	1.6%	Down from 5.4%	0.8%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	87.1%	Up from 77.2%	39.4%	15.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	43.0%	Down from 48.3%	53.0%	51.5%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	35.6%	Up from 30.4%	37.4%	30.6%
Annual dropout rate	2.3%	Up from 1.6%	1.5%	2.3%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Enrollment in career/technology courses	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Teachers (n=73)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	63.0%	Down from 67.6%	66.0%	63.4%
Continuing contract teachers	75.3%	Down from 78.9%	79.0%	78.8%
Teachers returning from previous year	85.8%	Down from 86.8%	88.2%	86.2%
Teacher attendance rate	95.6%	Up from 94.9%	95.6%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$52,246	Up 0.9%	\$49,261	\$48,699
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	1.4%	Down from 3.6%	2.7%	2.5%
Professional development days/teacher	15.6 days	Up from 5.1 days	8.1 days	9.8 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	6.0	Up from 5.0	3.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	33.9 to 1	Up from 29.0 to 1	29.0 to 1	26.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.2%	No Change	90.2%	89.0%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,027	Down 0.3%	\$6,692	\$7,919
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	60.0%	Down from 61.4%	59.0%	57.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	64.0%	Up from 63.4%	60.0%	60.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	Up from Good	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	75.1%	Down from 77.1%	99.4%	97.7%
Character development program	Good	No Change	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	82.2	Up from 77.6	88.2	77.4

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	81	120	121
Percent satisfied with learning environment	95%	81.7%	90.9%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	96.3%	90.1%	91.9%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	96.3%	92.4%	85.3%

\*Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included. For schools without grade eleven, only the highest grade was included.

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Hilton Head Island High School reached many lofty goals in 2012-2013. For the second consecutive year, we earned an Excellent Excellent rating on our state report card. Our International Baccalaureate Middle Years and Diploma Programs continued to thrive with a record fifty-two rising juniors joining the Diploma Program in the fall 2013 semester. We sent three students to the Intel International Science Fair in Phoenix, AZ, and all three earned accolades for their work. Principal Amanda O'Nan was a South Carolina Principal of the Year Finalist, and science department chair Kathryn Weatherhead was awarded the 2012-2013 South Carolina Outstanding Biology Teacher Award. Seven math and science teachers completed a master's degree in Math or Science Education, and the Washington Post named Hilton Head Island High School one of America's Most Challenging High Schools (#867 nationally/#8 in South Carolina). Academically speaking, we were proud to have had the opportunity to display the many talents of our students and faculty.

As always, students who struggle continued to find support from many organizations at Hilton Head Island High School. Our faculty worked to support preferential course scheduling for many ninth and tenth grade classes, free tutoring both on campus and in targeted neighborhood locations, and mentoring opportunities through organizations such as Girl Power and the Gentleman's Club, whose goals include supporting young people in all areas of their lives while in high school. We know these programs were successful on many levels, particularly with helping students stay focused on academic achievement and high-stakes tests like HSAP and EOCE.

Athletics and extra-curricular activities have always been exceptional at HHIHS, and that tradition continued in 2012-2013. State athletic championships in girls' tennis, soccer, and swimming and boys' soccer, as well as twelve region championship teams and numerous student athletic accomplishments led to twenty-one signings for HHIHS athletes to play at the collegiate level, a school record. In fact, for the third year in a row, we won the AAA SC High School League Athletic Director's Cup. Our Navy Junior ROTC continued to impress with its second consecutive "Distinguished Unit," placing it in the top 20% of all NJROTC units nationwide. Twenty-seven student musicians were named as Beaufort All-County Band members. Additionally, the band received the highest rating of Superior at the BCSD Concert Festival for the second year, and three students took all-state honors. Students in our Visual Arts Department continued to excel with both Gold Key and South Carolina Schools Photo Competition winners. A new student organization, Students Against Destructive Decisions, was initiated to support students who choose to stay drug and alcohol free and for those students to educate others about choosing wisely in their social and academic lives.

The Hilton Head Island High School Community is proud to have continued the tradition of excellence throughout the 2012 – 2013 school year.

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